

ORDER OF SERVICE
 Sunday January 10, 2021 – Third Sunday of Christmas
 Baptism of our Lord

PRELUDE

In Thee Is Gladness

John Eggert

Dr. Lee Foster, Music Educator, Organist and Choir Director

WELCOME, INTRODUCTION TO ZOOM, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. Michael Ford, Pastor

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Susan Maybeck, Assisting Minister

One: God's strong voice calls us to worship,

All: calling us to sing and offer praise.

One: God's creative voice calls us to worship,

All: calling us to life and light.

One: God's loving voice calls us to worship,

All: Listen, for God's voice calls to us now.

OPENING PRAYER

Rev. Susan Maybeck

OPENING HYMN –

Crashing Waters at Creation



1 Crash - ing wa - ters at cre - a - tion, or - dered
 2 Part - ing wa - ter stood and trem - bled as the
 3 Cleans - ing wa - ter once at Jor - dan closed a -
 4 Liv - ing wa - ter, nev - er end - ing, quench the

(D#dim7)

(Em)

Edim7

Fm



by the Spir - it's breath, first to wit - ness
 cap - tives passed on through, wash - ing off the
 round the One fore - told, o - pened to re -
 thirst and flood the soul. Well - spring, Source of

(F#dim7)

(Em)

(Am) (B) (Em)

Gdim7

Fm

Bbm

C

Fm



day's be - gin - ning from the bright - ness of night's death.
 chains of bond - age: chan - nel to a life made new.
 veal the glo - ry ev - er new and ev - er old.
 life e - ter - nal, drench our dry - ness; make us whole.

SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 1:1-5

MINISTRY WITH THE CHILDREN

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

A Rose Touched by the Sun's Warm Rays
The Choral Scholars

Jean Berger

A rose touched by the sun's warm rays all its petals gently does unfold. So you, when touched by God's great mercy, let joy and gladness win your soul.

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Susan Maybeck

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE OFFERING

Soe Win

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 1:4-11

MESSAGE

Light and Love

Rev. Dr. Michael Ford, Pastor

HYMN

O Love How Deep (verses 1-3)

1. O love, how deep, how broad, how high,
 2. For us bap - tized, for us he bore
 3. For us he prayed; for us he taught;

it fills the heart with ec - sta - sy,
 his ho - ly fast and hun - gered sore,
 for us his dai - ly works he wrought;

that God, the Son of God, should take
 for us temp - ta - tion sharp he knew;
 by words and signs and ac - tions thus

our mor - tal form for mor - tals' sake!
 for us the tempt - er o - ver - threw.
 still seek - ing not him - self, but us.

RESPONSIVE BENEDICTION AND BLESSING –

One: Amidst a noisy world, make way to listen for God. In the busiest of days, find time to listen for God. For in the listening, we finally hear this truth:

All: We are beloved children of God – created in love, created for love, created to love.

One: Let us learn to listen and love..

SUNG BLESSING AND AMEN *Sent Forth By God's Blessing (sung to The Ash Grove)*

**Sent forth by God's blessing, our true faith confessing,
the people of God from this dwelling takes leave.**

**The service is ended, O now be extended
the fruits of our worship in all who believe.**

**The seed of the teaching, receptive souls reaching
shall blossom in action for God and for all.**

**God's grace did invite us and love shall unite us
to work for God's kingdom and answer the call. Amen**

Postlude

Christe Sanctorum

John Eggert